# SPORTING NEWS

F001BALL PRIZE FIGHTING

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wors Crowd Sees Contest That Was Fierce and Swift From Start to Finish

-At the end of the tenight, with Jimmy Francisco and Battling Net-

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### Many Strangers Present.

two athletes more perfectly than Britt and Nelson when their long and arduous course and each was the personfica-fidence when Beforee Billy met them to their conwholence when Referee Billy toned them to their corners and smooned them to action. No the Jeffrien-Filzsimmonis af-dedded has brought so many to town

to town is a way New York, from Phila-from Butte, Omaha, Scattle, and Los Angeles fight tovers tered in liberal numbers. From alifornin points they flocked to its and when the main event helf the vast hall was packed to dome. was the crush in the gallery unceremoniously relegated to ottlone of the building, and but little of the night's en-could be observed.

### Had to Get More Seats.

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ion of those present when the sped on the scales that Nelson lighter of the two by at least

#### Poured in the Money.

Even at this price the Britt coteries did of loosen their purse latches until even-be, when, realizing the futility of hoping or a more lucrative price, they poured neir money into the pool seller's box and a large bunches, which was covered with

in fact, was the influx of Nelson coin at this stage that the odds were forced up another notch.

At 7 o'clock the odds favored Britt, at 10 to 9, and these quotations prevailed for an hour. Still the flow of short-end wagers poured in, and at 8 o'clock the betting was at even money, which was the ruling price up to ring time.

It was reported that Battling Nelson had placed from \$1500 to \$2500 on himself at odds varying from 10 to 8 to 10 to 9. Britt, on the other hand, placed but a modest sum on his own chances of win-

Britt, on the other hand, placed but a modest sum on his own chances of winning, being content to strive for the purse and glory which victory would bring.

Two preliminaries were worked off prior to the main event. Tom Moran and Frank Dellie of the United States army met in a four-round contest at 139 pounds, while George Herbert and Jim Haywards entertained the crowd in a scheduled eight-round go.

#### Challenges for the Winner.

message was read from Al Herford, nager of Joe Gans, offering to match negro with the winner of tonight's itest. A check of \$2500, it is said, has in deposited with a local sporting man clinch the match. Herford stipulated it Gans would make 133 pounds at 6 lock.

A challenge was read from Jabez White of England, at 132 pounds ringstile. Britt's seconds were "Spider" Kelly, his chief adviser. Frank Rafnel and "Tiv" Kiling In Nelson's corner were Ted Murphy, who acted as the Dane's chief counselor. Eddie Sastry. "Rawhide" Keely and "Smiling" Metzner.

#### Men in the Ring.

m.—Nelson was first presented as hicago crackajack, the hardest nut profession." His reception was enerous. Britt was then presented a expected, received a great ova-billy Roche of New York refereed

or contest.

When Young Corbett entered the ring issue his challenge he was tremendous-cheered. He shook hands with each of a principals. The crowd yelled insech." Corbett, in a few words in the he thanked his friends for their rolled gravelings promised that he would

### BATTLE BY ROUNDS.

Both Men Wary at the Beginning. Britt Doing the Leads.

950 p. m.—Time called.

Round one—They shook hands and both men adopted their famous crouches. Beitt missed a left hook for the body and a similar attempt was neatly blocked by Nelson, as was a right hook for the face. Careful sparring followed, and Britt missed another left for the body. Suddenly Britt whipped a terrific right over the heart, and followed it with a tremendous left hook to the wind. They went to a clinch and broke very carefully. Nelson's first lead with left was short, and then Britt drove a straight right to the body and ducked a left counter for the jaw and they clinched britt then hooked his famous left again to the body, and they clinched again. Mixing it, Britt missed his left for the body. The song rang with the men in a clinch. 9:50 p. m -Time called. The gong rang with the men in a clinch. It was Britt's round. Nelson did not land a blow in this round, but acted entirely on Both men wers very cool as they took

their chairs.

Round 2-Nelson crouched low and Britt missed a left for the body and they clinched. Britt missed left for the body and right for the head and ones more they clinched, neither one being inclined to let go. Both missed lefts for the body. Nelson forced Britt into a neutral corner, but Jimmy wiggled out without damage. Britt then drove a straight right over the heart and received in return a right hook to the jaw. Nelson blocked straight left and right for the jaw and the referee separated them from a clinch. They fought carefully at cless quarters, neither man landing. Britt continued to back away and Nelson shot his left to Britt's jaw. After a clinch Britt missed right swing for the bedy and the gong rang.

It appeared that Britt was holding on unnecessarily and there was some slight lissing as the mont wont to their seats. There was not much done in this round, Nelson, if anything, having a slight advantage.

Round 2—Britt missed left swing for the Jaw and Nelson blocked left for the body. Nelson forced Britt to the ropes, but the Californian got in a good right to the stomach and received a light right in return. They mixed it and Britt missed several lefts and rights for the body. Nelson then began the same tactics which characterized his battle with Corbett, and Britt broke ground. Britt drove his left hook to the body and they mixed it. Britt receiving left jab to the face. Britt staggered Nelson with right to the stomach and left to the Jaw, but in a rally Nelson swung left and right to the face. Britt then swung left to the head and hooked his right to the jaw. Britt rocked Nelson's head with a terrific right swing as the bell rang.

right swing for the jaw and then a right swing caught Britt on the mouth and a left swing reached his ear tiwee in suc-cession. Britt missed right and left and the bell rang with the men in a flerce embrace, from which see referee sepa-rated them.

rated them.

Both men broke very rejuctantly as
they went to the clinches and the crowd
kept up a constant yell of "break." Hon-

Round 5-Britt was short with left hook for the body and they clinched, the crowd again yelling. Nelson forced Britt to the ropes but failed to connect. Nelson kept boring in, and as they clinched the crowd again yelled itself hoarse to break. Britt shot his left to the face and then put a right to the head, while Nelson blocked straight left for the face. Britt then hooked his left to the wind and Nelson drove his right and left hard to the body. Britt hooked a hard left to the jaw and missed a left for the face. Britt shot his Britt hooked a hard left to the jaw and missed a left for the face. Britt shot his left hard to the body and missed two similar attempts. A moment later two left hooks found resting place on the Dane's body, but apparently had no effect. The gong clanged at this stage. Britt having just a shade the best of the round. A feature of the fight so fur has been

ith a victous right swing to the jaw id a left uppercut for the jaw was coked. A cliech followed and Roche parated the men. Britt caught Nei-

and \$-Britt as usual, backed away, they fought to close quarters. Britt d his left for the body and then left to the face. Nelson went after with right and left swings, but the

Britt looked a bit worried as he went to Nelson's advantage.

Round 10-Britt missed two lefts for the face. Nelson kept right after Britt, forcing him to break ground, but did not land. Nelson then worked his left and right to the head, but was met by a vicious left to the Jaw. Britt missed a similar attempt, and they went to close-quarters. Nelson putting short-arm right and left to Britt's face. Both then missed straight lefts for the Jaw, and the referee broke them from a clinch. Nelson forced Britt to a corner, landing a choppy right to the Jaw, and they clinched. Nelson then sent Britt to the ropes with a straight right swing, and kept hammeying away fiercely at the Californiau a head and body with right and left swings. Britt railled a bit as the gong rang, but not enough to overcome the lead escured by Nelson. Britt again looked a bit worried as he went to his corner.

It was Nelson's round. Round 10-Britt missed two lefts for

Round II—Both missed lefts for the face, and Britt hooked a left to the jaw and followed it with two wicked lefts to the head. Britt continued to break ground ever and anon trying his left hook for the body, but in each instance it was blocked. They clinched and it looked as if Britt was doing the holding. Britt then booked his left to the stomach and swung his right to the ear. They fought ferrely in the center of the ring Britt ianding right and left on Brows jaw and head. Nelson kept boring in, which the California boy did not seem to relish. The referee again separated the fighters and Britt hooked his left to the body. The gong rang with the men fighting at close quarters.

Britt had a slight advantage in this Britt had a slight advantage in this

Round 12-Britt led with left and a clinch resulted, the referee breaking them away again. Britt missed right hook for the hody. Nelson kept boring in, trying to draw Britt to close quarters. Britt drove a wicked right uppercut to the jaw, but the blow was returned with interest. Nelson landing three rights to Britt's face. Britt recovered quickly, battering Nelson at will with right and left swings to the jaw. He varied it with terrific left body punches, but Nelson fought back desperately and planted two lefts and a fearful right swing to the jaw and the Dane covered up. It was a whirlwind fight and Nelson went to his corner with bleed streaming from his nose. It was fight and Nelson woul to his corner with blood streaming from his nose. It was a great rally on Britt's part and the house was in a tremendous uproar. It was Britt's round by a good margin, although Nelson came back gamely.

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Britt walked coolly to his corner, as also did Nelson. It was Britt's round by a good margin.

Round 4-Britt swing left twice to the head and missed a right hook for the head and missed left sent Nelson's head back with right swing and a moment later planted his left to face. Britt then cleverly ducked left and right uppercut for the jaw and left and right uppercut for the jaw and a clinch followed, the crowd yelling "break them away." Britt ducked a straight left for the head and danced away from Nelson, who followed him about the ring. Nelson missed left and right to the face with left continuation.

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Round 14-Britt sent his left lightly to the face and they clinched, the crowd hissing Britt for holding on, as they believed. Britt sent a raking left to Nelson's sore spot and when they broke tried his usual factles of stabbing left to the face. Britt then swung his right to the face and followed it with two straight lefts to the face, and by clever factwork avoided Nelson's counters. Britt swung right to the face and missed a fearful left for the face and missed a fearful left for the face. A light left by Britt went o Nelson's nose and the Dane retaliated with right and left to the face. Britt backed away from further harm and as the bell rang Britt drove a stinging right to the face, but received blow on the face that tyre the flesh from his forehead and started the blood flowing freely.

Round 15.—Britt immediately jabbed left to the face and Nelson kept boring in but was met by Britt's unerring straight left of the face. Nelson forced Britt about the ring, but the Californian was too shifty and avoided the Done's attempts. A dinch followed, Roche again breaking the men. Britt sent straight left to the face, but received in return a right on the jaw and a left to the body. Nelson fought hard and it was give and take. Nelson if

The gong rang with Britt much fresher than in the previous round and with the honors a shade in his favor.

Round 18—Britt Jabbed as usuhl with left to the face and danced away from the Dane, who endeavored to get him to close quarters. Finally Nelson sent a straight left to Britt's law and in a mix they exchanged lefts to the face, and Britt worked a left uppercut to the law which did not stay the Pane in the least. Britt was again buffeted about the ring-but stopped Nelson with left hook to the body. The referse then separated them from a clinch and Britt ripped his left with terrific force to the body. Nelson chased Britt around, but his blows were ill-timed and Britt kept pegging away with his left to the law and then sent right swing to the head. Britt went to his corner with blood flowing from the reopened abrasion in his forchead.

At the end of this round the crowd yelled itself hoarse, some yelling "Britt" and the others "Nelson." Round 18-Britt jabbed as usuml with

Bound 19—Nelson forced Britt about the ring, but Eritt's footwork was too much for the Dane. Britt then hooked his left twice to the body and they went to a clinch. Britt swung left hard to the ear and then swung a fearful left to the body. They mixed it again, with the crowd hissing. Nelson chased Britt about again, but Britt met him on all occasions with straight lefts to the face, which he varied with a hard right swing to the car and a left hook to the body. Britt put another left hook to the body and they clinched against the ropes. Nelson suddenly caught Britt maching and swung two fearful Britt naching and swung two fearful

### RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S.

#### Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

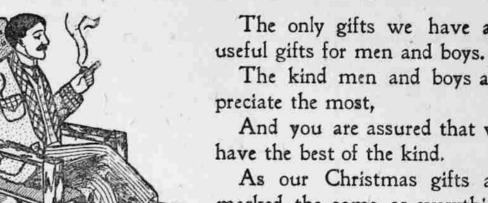
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lowed it with a left swing to the Jaw. Then Britt once more hooked his left to the Jaw and followed it with two right swings and a left hook to the face. The fighting was fearful. Britt going in flercely with left and right swings to Nelson's Jaw and the gong clanged, denoting that the buttle was over.

Referee Roche promptly awarded the decision to Britt. The decision was greeted with mingled cheers and hissing.

#### ZION SPORTS WERE INTERESTED. Considerable Money Changed Hands

in This City Last Night.

Fully 500 Salt Lake fight fans remained lown town last evening until after the midnight car had gone and risked a row with their better halves to hear the outome of the battle at Sun Francisco. Nelon was easily the favorite and the anouncement that Britt had won the deision was greeted with hisses. From the telegraphic reports it appeared that the Dane at best had an even break, inasmuch as he carried the fighting to Britt and several times seemed to have the Californian in distress. On the other hand, Sritt was unable to worry the Dane at all, Erit was unable to worry the Dane at all, except with his footwork, and it would appear that the native son won the decision on his marvelous retreating ability. Several thousand dollars changed hands on the bout in this city. Martin Mulvey being perhaps the heaviest winner. Mulvey was one of the few Britt admirers and backed the Californian for a considerable amount.

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The majority of Salt Lake fight fans were displeased with the decision and seemed to think that it was another case of the "native son" element influencing the referce's edict. However, it is hard to judge of the fairness of the decision from this distance, and it is possible that Eoche's judgment was correct, although the press reports seem to indicate differently.

### BOWLERS IN GOOD FORM.

#### Senators Take Two of Three Games From the Nonpareils.

Senators took a fall out of the Nonparells at the league alleys last ev-The bowling was of a high or der Zimmerman being the stellar per-former "Zim" rolled 226, 213 and 311, an average of 216 2-3 for the three games. Honderson also went considerably above the 290 mark, as did Hull of the Sena-Below are the scores:

SENATORS.

NONPAREILS.

# Thrilling Finish and Diamente Wins

Favorite Heather Honey

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 20.-The fin ish of Diamente, the winner of the last race, was the stirring feature of the racing at Ascot today. From a position behind a field of seven hito the Diamente made the greatest finish ever seen on the local track, and won the race from Heather Honey, the favorite, who had a lead of two lengths over the field at the head of the stretch. Diamente was 4 to 1 in the betting and was well played at this figure. It was a good day for favorites, four of them winning, while a second choice and a decided outsider took the other two races. Weather clear

track fast. Results:

First race, five furlongs—Pacifico, 115
GHildebrand), 1 to 2, won; Revel, 112
(Kent), 15 to 1, second, Crown Princess,
112 (M. Wood), 50 to 1, third. Time, 1424,
Fer de Lance, St. Dixie, Del Coronado,
Lady Wilt, Whitestone, Salario, Retador,
Cholk Hedrick, C. P. Waterhouse, Sinicado and Auroza also ran.

Second race, Slauson course—Edinborough, 108 (H. Smith), 11 to 5, won, Nanon,
105 (J. Powell), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1,11.
Trovator, Merry Sport, Graylette, Chief
Aloha, Estado and Sir Christopher also
fan.

Aloha, Estado and Sir Christopher also ran.

Third race, mile and a quarter, hurdles—Sceptre 130 (Russell), 12 to 1, won; Flea, 125 (Amos), 20 to 1, second, Dr. Long, 144 (Smilivan), 5 to 5, third, Time, 2:184, Cazador, Allegiance and Mrs. Crannan also ran.

Fourth race, Slauson course—Mad Muliah, 164 (Tooman), 9 to 16, won; Interlude, 99 (Kent), 6 to 1, second; Cerro Ssnia, 165 (Herbert), 44; to 1, third Time, 1:10. Silver Heels, Happy Chappy, The Major and Durbar also ran.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Capitanazo, 116 (Hildebrand), 2 to 5, won; Traimator, 100 (Walsh), 6 to 1, second; Milton Young, 163 (Dugan), 44; to 1, third. Time, 1:144, Ralph Reese also ran.

Sixth race, selling, mile and one-eighth—Diamente, 163 (Truebel), 4 to 1, won, Heather Honey, 160 (McDanleis), 8 to 5, second, Merwan, 165 (Lawrence), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:55, Jingler, Elue Ridge, Cincinnatus and William F. 11, also ran.

### MANSARD WINS HANDICAP.

Took First Place From Venator After

Stirring Struggle at Wire. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.-Mansard won the handicap at Oakland today from Venator in an exciting finish. In the first race, The Cure easily outfooted Dora I, to the wire. The Cure opened at ½ to 1 and was played into favoritism. W R. Condon at even money made a poor showing in the third race and finished among the tailenders. Mocorito at 10 to 1 skimmed the rail and wen easily. Nigrette finished first in the last race, but was disqualified for interfering with San Nicolas. Results:

First race, seven furlongs—The Cure won, The Gadfly second, Dora I, third. Time, 1272,

Second race, six furlongs—Mocorito wen, Sol Lichtenstein second, Boil Reed third. Time, 1:134,

Third race, mile and seventy yards—Fellow Me won, Stillche second, Scotsman third. Time, 1:45.

Fourth race, six and a half furlongs— Venator in an exciting finish. In the

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Mansard won, Venator second, Albula third. Time, 1:19%.

Fifth race, Futurity course—Sea Airwen, Dr. Leggo second, Smithy Kane third. Time, 1:10.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth—Nigrette won, San Nicolas second, Della third. Time, 1:46%. Nigrette disqualified for fouling and placed second. Ascot Park Entries for Wednesday.

LOS ANGELES, Cal. Dec. 20 -- Entries at Ascot for Wednesday: First race, selling, one mile-Galan-thus, III; Liberto, II0; Tangible, Miracle,

11; Louwelsea, Ivas, Idulum, 107; Lustig. 105; Evermore, 103; Dusky Secret, Dorlice, Frangible, Rose of Hilo, 102; Huapala, 58. Second race, selling, two-year-old, five furlongs—Hildebrand, Doctor C., Cofillion, 103; West Brookfield, 101; Maggio Mackey, 100; Tim Hurst, 38; Hart Gentry, Spring Leaf, 32.

Third, race, one mile—Ed Guinzburg, 104; Potrero Grande, Tryon, 102; Foxy Grandpa, 100; Temahawk, 37; Punctillo, 36; Freesias, 92.

Fourth race, handicap, Slauson course—Sals, 114; Gold Rose, 1080; Felipe Lugo, 105; El Chihuahua, 103; Home Bred, 37; Fifth race, selling, mile and seventy yards—Varro, Evea G., 102; Rough Rider, Chub, Autumn Time, Phys., 97.

Sixth race, selling, six furlongs—Schoharie, 112; Miss Provo, 109; Alamansor, 108; Wager, Our Pride, 104; John Hughes, 102; Mordente, 59; Tendercrest, 10. 106; Evermore, 103; Dusky Secret, Dorlce,

Oakland Tips for Wednesday.

Special to The Tribune. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20 .- Following are the Examiner's tips for the Oakland races on Wednesday; First-Geo. P. McNear, Golden Buck Robert Mitchell.

Robert Mitchell.

Second-Sad Sam, Silent Water, Redan.

Third-Mimo Tray Bronz, Wing.

Fourth-Elliott, Military Man, Arcade,

Fifth-Mindanao, Endd Wade, Mocorito.

Sixth-Fisetwood, Cardinal Sarto, Head

Los Angeles Cyclist Wins.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 20-At the bicycle races in City Convention hall tonight the five-mile, motor-paced event

### TEA

Is there a better way to keep the family longer at table, to keep it together?